

I am writing to express my objection to NAB's petition 04-160, which seeks to eliminate services like weather and traffic news on satellite radio services. I am an XM Satellite Radio subscriber, and I find their instant traffic and weather channels of immense value. Most importantly, this is a service I PAY for.

It is preposterous that I should have to revert to broadcast radio and wait through countless commercials and undesirable programming in order to receive traffic and weather information.

Please do the right thing and do not allow the special interests of broadcasters to limit the services that I pay for as an XM subscriber.

Thank you.

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